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CAPITAL PAID-UP ..... Yen 24,000,000  
RESERVE FUNDS ..... " 15,550,000

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TOKIO. CHEFOO.  
KOBE. TIENTSIN.  
OSAKA. PEKIN.  
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HONOLULU. MUKDEN.  
BOMBAY. TIE-LING.  
SHANGHAI. CHANG-CHUN.  
HANKOW.

#### Head Office—YOKOHAMA.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.  
On Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent.  
per Annum on the Daily Balance.

#### On fixed deposit—

For 12 months ..... 5% p.a.  
" 6 " ..... 4% " "  
" 3 " ..... 3% " "

TAKKO TAKAMICHI,  
Manager.

Hongkong, 31st October, 1907. [23]

### INTERNATIONAL BANKING CORPORATION.

FISCAL AGENTS OF THE UNITED STATES  
IN CHINA, THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS AND  
THE REPUBLIC OF PANAMA.

CAPITAL PAID UP ..... GOLD \$3,250,000  
ABOUT MEX \$7,222,222  
RESERVE FUND ..... GOLD \$3,250,000  
ABOUT MEX \$7,222,222

#### HEAD OFFICE:

60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK.

#### LONDON OFFICE:

THREADENDE HOUSE, E.C.

#### LONDON BANKERS:

BANK OF ENGLAND.  
NATIONAL PROVINCIAL BANK OF  
ENGLAND, LIMITED.

THE CAPITAL AND COUNTRIES BANK, LTD.

BRANCHES AND AGENTS ALL OVER THE  
WORLD.

THE Corporation transacts every Description  
of Banking and Exchange Business,  
receives Money in Current Account at  
the rate of 2% per annum on daily balances and  
accepts Fixed Deposits at the following rates—  
For 12 months 4% per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 3% " "  
" 3 " 2% " "

#### No. 9, Queen's Road Central,

W. M. ANDERSON,  
Manager.

Hongkong, 23rd January, 1908. [25]

### THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA

AUSTRALIA AND CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, 1853.

#### HEAD OFFICE—LONDON.

PAID-UP CAPITAL ..... £1,200,000  
RESERVE FUND ..... £1,475,000  
RESERVE LIABILITIES OF PROPRIETORS ..... £1,200,000

INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT  
ACCOUNT at the Rate of 2 per cent. per  
annum on the Daily Balances.

On Fixed Deposits for 12 months 4% per cent.  
" 6 " 3% " "  
" 3 " 2% " "

JOHN ARMSTRONG,  
Manager.

Hongkong, 6th January, 1908. [29]

### NEDERLANDSCH-INDISCHE

HANDELS BANK.

(NETHERLANDS INDIA COMMERCIAL BANK.)

#### ESTABLISHED 1863.

Authorized Capital, Fl. 15,000,000 (£1,250,000).  
Subscribed Capital, Fl. 10,000,000 (£800,000).  
Reserve Fund ..... Fl. 2,112,570.36 (£176,048).

#### Head Office—AMSTERDAM.

Sub-Office—THE HAGUE.

#### Head Agency—BATAVIA.

BRANCHES:—At Singapore, Sourabaya, Samarang,  
Indramajoe, Batavia, and Weltevreden.

CORRESPONDENTS:—At Cheribon, Tegal, Pagar-  
jongan, Macassar, Pootianak, Padang,  
Medan, Penang, Rangoon, Calcutta, Bom-  
bay, Madras, Colombo, Katschi, Djedah,  
Bangkok, Saigon, Shanghai, &c.

#### BANKERS:

London: The Williams Deacons Bank, Ltd.  
Paris: Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris  
Berlin: Deutsche Bank.  
Brussels: Banque de Paris et des Pays Bas.  
Vienna: Union Bank.  
Rome: Banca Commerciale Italiana.

THE BANK buys and sells and receives  
for collection Bills of Exchange, issues  
Letters of Credit payable in all important places  
of the world and transacts every description  
of Banking and Exchange business.

On Current Account at the rate of 2% per  
annum on the daily balances.

On Fixed Deposits: 12 months 4% per annum;  
" 6 " 3% " "  
" 3 " 2% " "

J. BORTJE,  
Manager.

15, Des Vaux Road Central. [17]

## Banks.

### HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL ..... \$10,000,000  
RESERVE FUNDS ..... \$11,750,000

#### STERLING

£1,000,000 at 2%—\$10,000,000  
Silver ..... \$11,750,000

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS \$10,000,000

#### COURT OF DIRECTORS:

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Hongkong—J. R. M. SMITH

#### MANAGER:

Shanghai—H. E. R. HUNTER.

LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY  
BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED:

On Current Account at the rate of 1 per cent.  
per Annum on the daily balance.

#### ON FIXED DEPOSITS:

For 12 months, 2% per cent. per annum.

For 6 months, 1% per cent. per annum.

For 12 months, 4% per cent. per annum.

J. R. M. SMITH,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 16th January, 1908. [24]

### HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE Business of the above Bank is conducted  
by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be  
obtained on application.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 3% PER  
CENT. per annum.

Depositors may transfer at their option  
balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND  
SHANGHAI BANK to be placed on FIXED  
DEPOSIT at 4% PER CENT. per annum.

#### For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,

J. R. M. SMITH,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 12th January, 1907. [28]

### DEUTSCH ASIATISCHE BANK

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP—Sh. Taels 7,500,000

#### HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: BERLIN.

#### BRANCHES:

Berlin Calcutta Hamburg Hankow  
Kobe Peking Singapore Tientsin  
Finsafu Tsingtau Yokohama

FOUNDED BY THE FOLLOWING BANKS AND  
BANKERS:

Koenigliche Seehandlung (Preussische  
Staatsbank)  
Direction der Disconto-Gesellschaft  
Deutsche Bank  
S. Bleichroeder  
Berliner Handels-Gesellschaft  
Bank fuer Handel und Industrie  
Robert Warshawsky & Co.  
Mendelssohn & Co.  
A. von Rothschild & Soehne Frankfurt  
Jacob S. H. Stern  
Norddeutsche Bank in Hamburg, Hamburg.  
Sal. Oppenheim jr. & Co., Koeln.  
Hayerische Hypotheken und Wechselbank,  
Muenchen.

#### LONDON BANKERS:

Messrs. N. M. ROTHSCHILD & SONS.  
THE UNION OF LONDON AND SMITH'S BANK,  
LIMITED.

DEUTSCHE BANK (BERLIN), LONDON AGENCY.  
DIRECTION DER DISCONTO GESELLSCHAFT.

INTEREST allowed on Current Account.  
DEPOSITS received on terms which may be  
earned on application. Every description of  
banking and Exchange business transacted

A. KOEHN,  
Manager.

Hongkong, 4th December, 1907. [30]

### NEDERLANDSCHE HANDEL- MAATSCHAPPIJ.

(Netherlands Trading Society.)

#### ESTABLISHED 1824.

PAID-UP CAPITAL Fl. 45,000,000 (£3,750,000).  
RESERVE FUND Fl. 5,378,375  
(about £448,000).

#### Head Office—AMSTERDAM.

Head Agency—BATAVIA.

BRANCHES:—Singapore, Penang, Shanghai,  
Rangoon, Samarang, Sourabaya, Cheribon,  
Tegal, Pecalongan, Paseroean, Tjilatjap,  
Padang, Medan (Deli), Palembang, Kota-  
Radja (Acheen), Bandjermasin.

Correspondents at Macassar, Bombay, Colombo,  
Madras, Pondicherry, Calcutta, Bang-  
kok, Saigon, Haiphong, Hanoi, Amoy,  
Yokohama, Kobe, Melbourne, Sydney,  
New York, San Francisco, &c.

#### LONDON BANKERS:

THE UNION OF LONDON AND SMITH'S  
BANK, LIMITED.

THE Bank buys and sells and receives for  
collection Bills of Exchange, issues  
letters of credit on its Branches and corre-  
spondents in the East, on the Continent, in  
Great Britain, America, and Australia, and  
transacts banking business of every description.

#### INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Accounts 2% per annum on daily  
balances.

Fixed Deposits 12 months 4% per annum.  
Do. 6 do. 3% do.  
Do. 3 do. 2% do.

J. L. VAN HOUTEN,  
Agent.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1907. [36]

## Steam.

### PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

FOR STEAMERS TO SAIL ON REMARKS.

SHANGHAI ..... { DELTA ..... } About 7th } Freight and  
Capt. C. L. Daniel ..... Feb. } Passage.

LONDON, &c., via usual Ports { PENINSULAR ..... } 8th Feb. } See Special  
of Call ..... Capt. R. E. Peters ..... Noon. } Advertisement

MARSEILLES, LONDON and { PALAWAN ..... } About 12th } Freight and  
ANTWERP ..... Capt. C. R. Longden, R.M.R. } Feb. } Passage.

For Further Particulars, apply to

E. A. HEWETT, Superintendent.

Hongkong, 5th February, 1908. [7]

## Intimations.

### LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

#### THE

REAL MACKENZIE WHISKY,  
VERY SPECIAL LIQUEUR.

\$21.00 PER DOZ. \$1.85 PER BOTTLE.

CLAN MACKENZIE WHISKY,  
OLD MATURED.

\$14.00 PER DOZ. \$1.20 PER BOTTLE.

These Whiskies are prepared from the  
choicest ingredients, correctly distilled  
and aged in wood. It is the most perfect  
stimulant obtainable.

SOLE AGENTS IN THE EAST—

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

Telephone 97. [38]

## V. O. S.

#### AND

EXTRA SPECIAL FINEST  
LIQUEUR

ARE THE BEST WHISKIES OBTAINABLE.

CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & CO.,  
WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS,  
15, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, 30th January, 1908. [40]

## CHAMPAGNE.

### G. H. MUMM & CO.

THE MOST POPULAR WINE

Can be had in the following qualities:

EXTRA DRY (Gout Americain).  
BRUT (Cordon Rouge).

Sales in the United States exceed the total of  
all other Brands.

Served in all Clubs and First-class Hotels,  
and obtainable at all Wine Merchants in the  
Colony, and from Shewan, Tomes & Co., sole  
agents.

## Hotel.

VICTORIA HOTEL,  
(TELEGRAMS—VICTORIA—SHAMEN),  
SHAMEN, CANTON.  
ON THE BRITISH CONCESSION.  
F. HAYNES,  
Manager.

MACAO HOTEL,  
(TELEGRAMS—FARMER—MACAO),  
MACAO, CHINA.  
IN THE CENTRE OF THE PRATA GRANDE.

BOTH HOTELS ELECTRICALLY LIGHTED AND UNDER SUPERVISED  
EUROPEAN MANAGEMENT.

EVERY COMFORT AND CONVENIENCE FOR RESIDENTS AND  
TOURISTS.

## Shipping—Steamers

### HONGKONG, CANTON, MACAO

#### AND

### WEST RIVER STEAMERS.

#### JOINT SERVICE OF

THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD. AND  
THE CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LTD.

#### HONGKONG-CANTON LINE.

S.S. "HONAM" 2,365 Tons, "POWAN" 2,338 Tons, "FATSHAN" 2,260 Tons,  
"KINSHAN" 1,995 Tons, "HEUNGSHAN" 1,998 Tons.

Departures from HONGKONG to CANTON daily at 8 A.M. (Sunday excepted), 10 P.M.  
(Saturday excepted).

Departures from CANTON to HONGKONG daily at 8 A.M. and 5 P.M. (Sunday excepted).  
The S.S. "POWAN" will leave Hongkong every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at  
9 P.M. from Queen Street Wharf West, returning from Canton every Tuesday, Thursday and  
Saturday, at 5 P.M.

These Steamers, carrying His Majesty's Mails, are the largest and fastest on the River.  
Special attention is drawn to their Superior Saloon and Cabin Accommodation.

SERVICE OF THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD.

#### HONGKONG-MACAO LINE.

S.S. "SUI-AN" 1,651 Tons and "SUI-TAI" 1,651 Tons.

Departures from Hongkong to Macao on week days at 8 A.M. from Douglas Wharf and  
at 2 P.M. from the Company's Wharf.

On Sundays Special Cheap Excursions as per particulars at foot.

Departures from Macao to Hongkong on week days at 7.30 A.M. and 2 P.M.

#### JOINT SERVICE OF

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD.,  
THE CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LTD. AND THE INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVI-  
GATION COMPANY, LTD.

#### CANTON-WUCHOW LINE.

S.S. "SAINAM" 588 Tons, and "NANNING" 569 Tons.

One of the above steamers leaves Canton for Wuchow every Monday, Wednesday and  
Friday, at about 8 A.M., and the other leaves Wuchow for Canton on the same days at 8.30 A.M.  
Round trips take about 5 days. These vessels have Superior Cabin Accommodation and are  
lighted throughout by electricity.

#### EXCURSIONS TO MACAO.

On SUNDAYS, the Company's Steamship "SUI-AN" will depart from Douglas Wharf  
at 9 A.M. Returning from Macao at 5 P.M.

#### Popular Excursion Rates as usual.

N.B.—The Company also runs a steamer from Macao on Sunday morning at 7.30 A.M. and  
from Hongkong at 1 P.M. from the Company's Wharf. This steamer connects with the re-  
turning steamer from Macao.

Further particulars may be obtained at the Office of the—  
HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LD.,  
HOTEL MANSIONS, (FIRST FLOOR),  
opposite the Hongkong Hotel. [6]

## Intimations.

One of the most prominent Medical men of  
China said:

"Where Bear Brand Milk is  
Known, the public will  
have no further com-  
plaint as to their milk  
supply."

For Sale at

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

THE MUTUAL STORES,  
and all its BRANCHES.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD.,  
and the Agents—

F. BLACKHEAD & Co.

Hongkong, 2nd October, 1907. [3]

THE CITY OF PARIS,  
PARISIAN DRESSMAKERS AND COURT MILLINERS,  
2, PRUDER STREET, MADAME FLINT, MANAGERESS.

Now Showing—Another Large Stock  
OF

NEW GOODS.

Specially Imported for the Races.

## Hotel.

### HONGKONG HOTEL.

FIRST CLASS AND UP-TO-DATE.

Military Band during dinner on Saturday Nights.

Hongkong, 31st Jan., 1908.

A. F. DAVIES,  
Manager.







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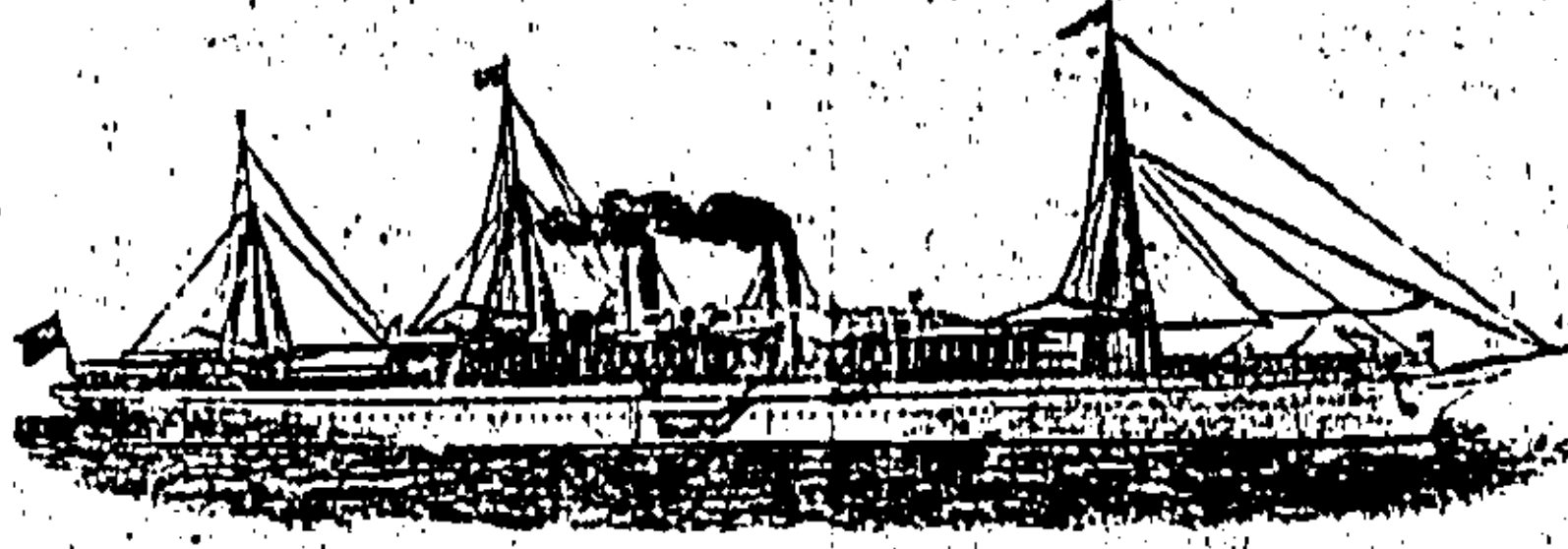




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## Shipping—Steamers.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COY.'S  
ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE.

## Luxury—Speed—Punctuality.

The only Line that maintains a Regular Schedule Service of under Eleven Days across the Pacific is the "Empress Line," Saving 5 to 10 Days' Ocean Travel.

11 Days YOKOHAMA to VANCOUVER. 18 Days HONGKONG to VANCOUVER.

| PROPOSED SAILINGS.        | (Subject to Alteration). |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| R.M.S.                    | Tons                     |
| "EMPERESS OF JAPAN" ..... | 6,000                    |
| "EMPERESS OF CHINA" ..... | 6,000                    |
| "EMPERESS OF INDIA" ..... | 6,000                    |
| "EMPERESS OF JAPAN" ..... | 6,000                    |
| "EMPERESS OF CHINA" ..... | 6,000                    |
| "EMPERESS OF INDIA" ..... | 6,000                    |

THE Quickest route to CANADA, UNITED STATES and EUROPE, calling at SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, (through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN), KOBE, YOKOHAMA, and VICTORIA, B.C., and at QUEBEC, with the Company's New Palatial "EMPERESS" Steamships, 14,500 tons register. The through transit to LIVERPOOL being 22 days, from YOKOHAMA, and 29 days from HONGKONG.

Steamers, and 1st Class on Railways, via St. Lawrence River Lines or New York City, Hongkong to London, Intermediate on Railways.

First-class rates include cost of Meals and Berth in Sleeping Car while crossing the American Continent.

R.M.S. "MONTAGUE" carries "Intermediate" passengers only, at Intermediate rates, affording superior accommodation for that class.

Passengers Booked through to all points and AROUND THE WORLD.

SPECIAL RATES (First class only) granted to Missionaries, Members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic and Civil Services, and to European Officials in the Service of China and Japan Governments.

For further information, Maps, Routes, Hand Books, Rates of Freight and Passage, apply to HONGKONG, 29th January, 1908.

Corner Paddar Street and Praya.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LD.

(PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.)

| For                                | Steamship   | On                          |
|------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------|
| SHANGHAI VIA SWATOW .....          | "KUNGSANG"  | THURSDAY, 6th Feb., Noon.   |
| MANILA .....                       | "KUNGSANG"  | FRIDAY, 7th Feb., 4 P.M.    |
| SANDAKAN .....                     | "MAUSANG"   | SATURDAY, 8th Feb., 4 P.M.  |
| SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA, KOBE .....     | "KUNGSANG"  | FRIDAY, 14th Feb., 4 P.M.   |
| MANILA .....                       | "LOONGSANG" | FRIDAY, 14th Feb., 4 P.M.   |
| SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA ..... | "NAMSANG"   | THURSDAY, 20th Feb., 3 P.M. |

FOR THE MANILA CARNIVAL.  
A special reduced fare of \$50 for Return Passages will be issued for our Sailings to Manila of the 24th and 31st instant, available for 30 days from date of issue. Passengers taking out these tickets are exempt from the Head Tax.

\* These Steamers have superior accommodation for First-class Passengers, and are fitted throughout with Electric Light.

Taking Cargo on through Bills of Lading to Yangtze Poon, Chefoo and Tientsin via Ching-Wan-Tau.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LD., General Managers.

Hongkong, 4th February, 1908.

CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LIMITED.

FOR STEAMSHIP TO SAIL.

| FOR                                | STEAMSHIP   | TO SAIL           |
|------------------------------------|-------------|-------------------|
| HONGHAI & HAIPHONG .....           | "HONGHAI"   | 6th Feb., Noon.   |
| AMOI & SHANGHAI .....              | "LINAN"     | 6th Feb., 4 P.M.  |
| CEBU & ILOILO .....                | "SUNGKIANG" | 7th Feb., Noon.   |
| TSINGTAO & CHEFOO .....            | "KWEIYANG"  | 8th Feb., Noon.   |
| SHANGHAI .....                     | "YOOHAI"    | 8th Feb., 4 P.M.  |
| MANILA, ZAMBOANGA & COLONIES ..... | "CHANGSHA"  | 10th Feb., Noon.  |
| SHANGHAI .....                     | "KIUKIANG"  | 11th Feb., Noon.  |
| MANILA .....                       | "TEAN"      | 11th Feb., 4 P.M. |
| SHANGHAI .....                     | "SHAOHONG"  | 12th Feb., Noon.  |
| CEBU & ILOILO .....                | "KAIKONG"   | 15th Feb., Noon.  |

\* The Attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by these steamers, which are fitted throughout with Electric Light. Unrivalled table. A daily qualified Surgeon is carried.

Taking Cargo on through Bills of Lading to all Yangtze and Northern China Ports.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, AGENTS.

Hongkong, 5th February, 1908.

HONGKONG—MANILA.

Highest Class, newest, fastest and most luxurious Steamers

between Hongkong and Manila.—Saloon amidships—Electric

Light—Perfect Cuisine—Surgeon and Stewards carried.

—All the most up-to-date arrangements for comfort of

Passengers.

CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

MANILA CARNIVAL.

Steamship. Tons. Captain. For. Sailing Dates.

ZAFIRO .....

RURI .....

For Freight or Passage, apply to

SHEWAN TOMES & CO., GENERAL MANAGERS.

Hongkong, 4th February, 1908.

CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP CO., LIMITED.

MANILA CARNIVAL.

A CARNIVAL will be held in MANILA under Government auspices commencing on the 27th FEBRUARY, 1908. As an inducement to Hongkong residents to patronise this important event, besides enjoying a holiday of reasonable length, we have decided to despatch our steamer "ZAFIRO" for a special Carnival trip, leaving Hongkong at 4 P.M. on the afternoon of SATURDAY, the 23rd FEBRUARY. The "ZAFIRO" will reach Manila on Tuesday morning and in order that the full round of festivities may be enjoyed we shall not despatch the steamer from Manila until 2 A.M. on the morning of Tuesday, the 3rd March. She will reach Hongkong again at daylight on Thursday, the 5th March.

We have arranged a special fare for this round trip of \$50 and Passengers, should they so desire, may make arrangements to remain on board during steamer's stay in Manila.

For further particulars, apply to the Undersigned.

SHEWAN TOMES & CO., General Managers.

Hongkong, 22nd January, 1908.

## Shipping—Steamers.

## HONGKONG-NEW YORK.

AMERICAN ASIATIC  
STEAMSHIP CO.

FOR NEW YORK via PORTS and SUEZ CANAL.

(With Liberty to Call at the Malabar Coast.)

Steamship To sail

"SAINT PATRICK" .....

For Freight and further information, apply to

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,

General Agents.

27th January, 1908.

POSTPONEMENT.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOI AND FOCHOW.

THE Company's Steamship

"HAICHING,"

Captain Hodgins, will be despatched for the

above Ports, TO-MORROW, the 6th inst.,

at 11 A.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, 5th February, 1908.

NORTHERN PACIFIC LINE.

BOSTON STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Connecting at Tacoma with

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY

COMPANY.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG FOR

VICTORIA, B.C. and TACOMA,

via

MOJI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA.

Steamer Tons. Captain. Sailing.

Kumerick .....

Shawmut .....

Tremont .....

Suerick .....

CHEAP FARES, EXCELLENT ACCOMMODATION,

ATTENDANCE AND CUISINE, ELECTRIC

LIGHT, DOCTOR AND STEWARDESSES.

\* The twin-screw s.s. Shawmut and Tremont

are fitted with very superior accommodation

for first and second class passengers. The

large size of these vessels assures steadiness

at sea. Electric fan in each room. Barber's

shop and steam-laundry. Cargo carried in

cold storage.

† Cargo only.

PARCEL EXPRESS TO THE UNITED

STATES AND CANADA.

For further information, apply to

DODWELL & CO., LIMITED,

General Agents.

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Hongkong, 17th January, 1908.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

CALCUTTA.

THE Steamship

"JAPAN,"

Captain J. G. O'Brien, will be despatched for the

above Ports, on SATURDAY, the 8th instant,

at 3 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DAVID SASSOON & CO., LIMITED,

Agents.

Hongkong, 4th February, 1908.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON, ANTWERP AND

HAMBURG.

THE Steamship

"FLINTSHIRE"

will be despatched for the above Ports, on

the 20th February, 1908.

For Freight, etc., apply to

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 22nd January, 1908.

"INDRA" LINE, LIMITED.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship

"INDRANI"

Captain MacFarlane, will be despatched as

above on or about the 15th February.

For Freight, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 27th January, 1908.

TOYO KISEN KAISHA.

SOUTH AMERICAN LINE.

REGULAR STEAMSHIP SERVICE

BETWEEN

HONGKONG, CALLAO

AND

IQUIQUE VIA JAPAN PORTS

(KARATSU, KOBE and YOKOHAMA).

With liberty to call at HONOLULU and

SALINA CRUZ.

Steamers Tons To sail

KASATO MARU .....

Some time in

March, 1908.

Taking Freight and Passengers to other

Eastern and Western Coast ports of South

America in connection with Steamers of the

Pacific S. N. Co.

For further information as to Freight and

Passage, apply to

E. MATSUDA,

Manager.

Yokohama, Japan.

Hongkong, 26th December, 1907.

## HONGKONG AVERAGE MARKET PRICES.

Corrected 31st January, 1908, per 5 Mds.

BUTCHER MEAT.

Beef—Prime cut—Mei Lung Pa B .....

"Comed—Ham Ngau Yuk .....

Roast—Shiu .....

Breast—Ngau Lam .....

Soup, Tong Yuk .....

Steak—Ngau Yuk Pa .....

"Sirloin—Ngau Lau .....

Sausages—Ngau Yuk Chung .....

Bullock's Brains—Know .....

Tongue fresh—Ngau Li .....

"Comed—Ham Ngau Li .....

Head—Ngau Tau .....

Heart—Ngau Sum .....

Hump, Salt—Ngau Kin .....

Kidney—Ngau Kook .....

Tail—Ngau Mei .....

Liver—Ngau Con .....

Tripe (undressed)—Ngau To .....

Calves' Head and Feet—Ngau-chai-

tau-kook .....

Mutton Chop—Yeung Pui Kwai .....

Leg—Yeung Pui .....

Shoulder—Yeung Shau .....

Pigs' Chitlings—Chi cheong .....

Brains—Chi Kook .....

Feet—Chi Kook .....

Fry—Chi Chak .....

Head—Chi Tau .....

Heart—Chi Sum .....

Kidneys—Chi Yiu .....

Liver—Chi Kon .....

Pork Chop—Chi Pui Kwai .....

Comed—Ham Chu Yuk .....

Leg—Chu Pui .....

Fat or Lard—Chu Yau .....

Sheep's Head and Feet—Yeung Tau

Keok .....

"Heart—Yeung Sum .....

"Kidneys—Yeung Yiu .....

"Liver—Yeung Con .....

Sucking-Pigs—To Order—Chu Chai .....

Suet Beef—Sang Ngau Yau .....

Mutton—Sang Yeung Yau .....

Veal—Ngau Chai Yuk .....

Sausages—Ngau Chai Yuk Tong .....

POULTRY.

Chicken—Kai Chai .....

Capons, Large, Small—Sin Kai .....

Ducks—Ap .....

Doves—Pan Kau .....

Eggs, Hen—Kai Tai .....

Fowls, Canton—Kai .....

Geese—Ngo .....

Geese, Wild Shanghai—Sheung Hoi Ye

Ngo .....

Musk Deer—Wong Keng .....

Hare—Tu Chai .....

Partridge—Che Khoo .....

Pheasant—Shan Kai .....

Pigeons, Canton—Pak Kap .....

Hoihow—Hoihow Pak Kap .....

Quail—Um Chiu .....

Rice Birds—Wo Fa Cheuk .....

Snipe—Si Chai .....

Turkeys, Cock—Fo Kai Kung .....

"Hen—Na .....

Wild Ducks, Shanghai, Su-ai .....

Teal, Shanghai, Su-ai .....

Wild Ducks, Canton—Sang Shing Sui

Ap .....

FISH.

Barbel—Ka Yu .....

Bream—Bin Yu .....

Canton Fresh Water Fish—Hoi Sin Yu .....

Carp—Li Yu .....

Catfish—Chik Yu .....







## SHARE QUOTATIONS

Supplied by Messrs. E. S. KADOORIE &amp; Co. Corrected to noon; later alterations given under "Commercial Intelligence," page 5.

| STOCKS.   | NO. OF<br>SHARES. | VALUE.   | PAID UP. | POSITION AS PER LAST REPORT | AT WORKING<br>ACCOUNT. | LAST DIVIDEND.   | APPROXIMATE<br>RETURN AT<br>PERCENT<br>QUOTATION.<br>BASED ON LAST<br>YEAR'S DIV. | CLOSING<br>QUOTATIONS. |
|---|-------------------|----------|----------|-----------------------------|------------------------|--|---|------------------------|
| <b>BANKS.</b>   |                   |          |          |                             |                        |  |   |                        |
| Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation                                       | 40,000            | \$125    | \$125    | \$1,000,000                 | \$1,797.67             | \$1.15/- for 1 year ending 30.6.07 @ ex  | 3 1/2   | \$715                  |
| Do. (new)   | 40,000            | \$125    | \$125    | \$1,750,000                 |                        | 3 1/2 3/16 = \$1.604   |   | \$715                  |
| National Bank of China, Limited   | 9,925             | £7       | £6       | £12,731                     | \$71.2 3               | \$2 London 3/16 for 1907   |   | \$51                   |
| <b>MARINE INSURANCES.</b>   |                   |          |          |                             |                        |  |   |                        |
| Canton Insurance Office, Limited  | 1,000             | £250     | \$50     | \$1,500,000                 | none                   | \$20 for 1906  | 8 1/2   | \$245                  |
| North China Insurance Company, Limited  | 10,000            | £15      | £5       | \$12,731                    | Tls. 224 4             | Final of 7/6 per share making in all 15/- for 1906 = Tls. 2.65                       | 6 1/2   | Tls. 8 1/2 sellers     |
| Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited                                    | 2,400             | £250     | \$100    | \$3,000,000                 | 1,460 4 0              | Final of 5/12 making \$42 for 1905 and interim of \$30 for 1906                      | 5 1/2   | \$830                  |
| Yangtze Insurance Association, Limited  | 8,000             | £100     | £40      | \$800,000                   | 394.520                | 1 year ending 31.12.5  |   | \$1521 buyers          |
| Do. (new)   | 4,000             | £100     | £60      | \$400,000                   |                        |  |   | \$140 buyers           |
| <b>FIRE INSURANCES.</b>   |                   |          |          |                             |                        |  |   |                        |
| China Fire Insurance Company, Limited   | 20,000            | \$100    | \$20     | \$2,000,000                 | \$362.980              | 40 and bonus \$2 for 1905  | 8 1/2   | \$58                   |
| Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited                                      | 8,000             | £250     | \$50     | \$1,250,000                 | \$435.235              | \$40 1905  | 12 1/2  | \$535                  |
| <b>SHIPPING.</b>  |                   |          |          |                             |                        |  |   |                        |
| China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited                                   | 10,000            | \$25     | \$25     | \$250,000                   | 5365                   | 1 year ending 30.6.07  | 6 1/2   | \$15                   |
| Douglas Steamship Company, Limited  | 10,000            | \$50     | \$50     | \$500,000                   | Nil                    | \$4 for year ending 30.6.07  | 10 1/2  | \$40                   |
| Hongkong, Canton & Macao Steamboat Co., Ltd.                                  | 10,000            | \$15     | \$15     | \$150,000                   | 127.101                | 1 year for 1st half-year ending 30.6.07  | 6 1/2   | \$29 1/2               |
| Indo-China Steam Navigation Co., Ltd. (Preferred)                             | 60,000            | £5       | £5       | £60,000                     | £3.694                 | 5/- for 1906 @ ex 2 1/2 = \$1.24 per share   | 3 1/2   | \$838                  |
| Do. (Deferred)  | 60,000            | £5       | £5       | £60,000                     |                        |  |   | \$26                   |
| Shanghai Tug and Lighter Company, Limited                                     | 100,000           | Tls. 50  | Tls. 50  | Tls. 5,000                  | 13.347                 | Interim of Tls. 3 1/2 for account 1907   | 12 1/2  | Tls. 46 sellers        |
| Do. (Preference)  | 100,000           | Tls. 50  | Tls. 50  | Tls. 5,000                  | 172.370                | Interim of 1/- (Coupon No. 8) for a/c 1907   | 4 1/2   | Tls. 50 sellers        |
| Shell Transport and Trading Company, Limited                                  | 10,000            | £1       | £1       | £10,000                     | 5137                   | 1 year ending 30.6.1907  | 4 1/2   | \$25 buyers            |
| Star Ferry Company, Limited   | 10,000            | \$10     | \$10     | \$100,000                   | 1137                   | 1 year ending 30.6.1907  | 4 1/2   | \$21 buyers            |
| Taku Tug and Lighter Company, Limited   | 1,000             | Tls. 50  | Tls. 50  | Tls. 5,000                  | 18.730                 | Final of Tls. 2 making Tls. 6 for 1906   | 12 1/2  | Tls. 47 sellers        |
| <b>REFINERIES.</b>  |                   |          |          |                             |                        |  |   |                        |
| China Sugar Refining Company, Limited   | 1,000             | £100     | £100     | £100,000                    | 5.218                  | 8 for year ending 31.12.06   | 7 1/2   | \$100 buyers           |
| Luxon Sugar Refining Company, Limited   | 7,000             | \$100    | \$100    | £100,000                    | 5.8935                 | 1 year ending 31.12.06   | 5 1/2   | \$15 sales             |
| Perak Sugar Cultivation Company, Limited                                      | 7,000             | Tls. 50  | Tls. 50  | Tls. 350,000                |                        | Tls. 3 (2) for year ending 31.8.06   | 5 1/2   | Tls. 80                |
| <b>MINING.</b>  |                   |          |          |                             |                        |  |   |                        |
| Chinese Engineering and Mining Company, Ltd.                                  | 100,000           | £1       | £1       | £100,000                    | £11.556                | Final of 1/6 (No. 9) for 1907  | 7 1/2   | Tls. 15.20 h.          |
| South Australian Gold-Mining Company, Limited                                 | 50,000            | £1       | £1       | £50,000                     | 11.358                 | Final of 1/6 (No. 9) for 1907  | 7 1/2   | 58                     |
| <b>DOCKS, WHARVES &amp; GODOWNS.</b>  |                   |          |          |                             |                        |  |   |                        |
| Fenwick (Geo.) & Co., Limited   | 18,000            | £25      | £25      | £4,124                      | 10.335                 | \$1.75 for year ending 31.12.06  | 11 1/2  | \$15                   |
| Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd.                                 | 10,000            | £10      | £10      | £100,000                    | 3.047                  | Interim of \$2 for six months ending June 30th 1907                                  | 6 1/2   | \$55 old               |
| Do. (new)   | 20,000            | £10      | £10      | £200,000                    |                        |  |   | \$55 new               |
| Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company, Ltd.                                       | 10,000            | £50      | £50      | £500,000                    | 491.580                | \$4 for 1st half-year ending June 30th, 1907   | 8 1/2   | \$97 buyers            |
| Shanghai Dock and Engineering Co., Ltd.                                       | 5,700             | £100     | £100     | £570,000                    | 10.459                 | Interim of Tls. 2 1/2 for six months ending 31st October, 1907                       | 7 1/2   | Tls. 78 buyers         |
| Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Company, Limited                                   | 16,000            | Tls. 100 | Tls. 100 | Tls. 1,600,000              | 23.117                 | Interim of Tls. 8 for account 1907   | 8 1/2   | Tls. 212 sales         |
| <b>LANDS, HOTELS &amp; BUILDINGS.</b>   |                   |          |          |                             |                        |  |   |                        |
| Anglo-French Land Investment Co., Ltd.  | 25,000            | Tls. 100 | Tls. 100 | Tls. 2,500,000              | Tls. 1,388             | Tls. 6 for 1st 12 months ending 28.2.07  | 6 1/2   | Tls. 105               |
| Asiatic Hotel Company, Limited (Shanghai)                                     | 10,000            | \$25     | \$25     | \$250,000                   | \$10.008               | \$2 1/2 for year ending 30.6.07  | 11 1/2  | \$20 buyers            |
| Central Stores, Limited   | 50,125            | \$15     | \$15     | \$751,875                   | 9.178                  | \$1.80 for 1906  | 13 1/2  | \$14 sales             |
| Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited   | 20,000            | \$50     | \$50     | \$1,000,000                 | 110.925                | \$4 for 1st half-year ending 30.6.07   | 7 1/2   | \$104                  |
| Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co., Ltd.                                 | 10,000            | \$100    | \$100    | \$1,000,000                 | 5.915                  | Final of \$3 1/2 making in all \$7 for year ending 31.12.07                          | 7 1/2   | \$102                  |
| Humphreys Estate & Finance Company, Limited                                   | 10,000            | \$10     | \$10     | \$100,000                   | 4.681                  | 70 cents for year ending 31.12.07  | 7 1/2   | \$10                   |
| Kowloon Land and Building Company, Limited                                    | 1,000             | \$50     | \$50     | \$50,000                    | 11.086                 | \$2 1/2 for 1906   | 7 1/2   | \$35 sellers           |
| Shanghai Land Investment Company, Limited                                     | 78,000            | Tls. 10  | Tls. 10  | Tls. 780,000                | 11.978                 | Interim of Tls. 3 for account 1907   | 7 1/2   | Tls. 107 sales         |
| West Point Building Company, Limited  | 2,500             | \$50     | \$50     | \$125,000                   | 11.541                 | Final of \$2.10 making in all \$4.10 for year ending 31.12.07                        | 8 1/2   | 48                     |
| <b>COTTON MILLS.</b>  |                   |          |          |                             |                        |  |   |                        |
| Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company, Ltd.                                 | 1,000             | Tls. 50  | Tls. 50  | Tls. 50,000                 | 8.807                  | Tls. 2 1/2 for year ended 31.10.10 7   | 4 1/2   | Tls. 56 sales          |
| Hongkong Cotton Spinning, Weaving and Dyeing Company, Limited                 | 5,000             | \$10     | \$10     | \$50,000                    | \$14.269               | 50 cents for year ending 31.7.07   | 5 1/2   | \$10                   |
| International Cotton Manufacturing Company, Ltd.                              | 10,000            | Tls. 75  | Tls. 75  | Tls. 750,000                | Tls. 85.519            | Tls. 6 for year ended 30.9.06 (8 1/2)  |   | Tls. 55                |
| Loeh-kung-mow Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ltd.                             | 8,000             | Tls. 100 | Tls. 100 | Tls. 800,000                | Tls. 31.469            | Tls. 8 for 1906  |   | Tls. 72 1/2            |
| Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Company, Limited                                     | 2,000             | Tls. 500 | Tls. 500 | Tls. 1,000,000              | Tls. 50.663            | Tls. 50 for 1906   |   | Tls. 270 buyers        |
| <b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>   |                   |          |          |                             |                        |  |   |                        |
| Bell's Asbestos Eastern Agency, Limited                                       | 8,604             | £12 1/2  | £12 1/2  | £1,075.50                   | £63                    | 1/3 per share for 1906   | 9 1/2   | \$78                   |
| Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited  | 1,200             | \$10     | \$10     | \$12,000                    | \$653                  | \$5 for 1905   |   | \$10 buyers            |
| China-Borneo Company, Limited   | 10,000            | \$12     | \$12     | \$120,000                   | Nil                    | \$1 for 1904   |   | \$101                  |
| China Flour Mill Co., Limited   | 4,000             | Tls. 50  | Tls. 50  | Tls. 200,000                | Tls. 880               | Final of Tls. 5 making Tls. 10 for 1905  |   | Tls. 55 buyers         |
| China Light and Power Company, Limited  | 10,000            | \$10     | \$10     | \$100,000                   | 25.000                 | 60 cents for year ended 30.6.06  |   | 16                     |
| Do. special shares  | 10,000            | \$10     | \$10     | \$100,000                   | 25.000                 | 80 cents on 100,000 shares for 1907  | 9 1/2   | 188 buyers             |
| China Provident Loan & Mortgage Company, Ltd.                                 | 25,000            | \$10     | \$10     | \$250,000                   | \$3.593                | \$1.30 for year ending 31.7.07   | 7 1/2   | \$17                   |
| Dairy Farm Company, Limited   | 35,000            | \$7 1/2  | \$6      | \$262,500                   | \$2.974                | Interim of 50 cents per share for a/c 1907   | 8 1/2   | \$14                   |
| Green Island Cement Company, Limited  | 400,000           | \$10     | \$10     | \$4,000,000                 | 110.804                | \$2 1/2 for year ending 28.2.07  | 11 1/2  | \$21 buyers            |
| Hall & Holtz, Limited   | 11,000            | \$20     | \$20     | \$220,000                   | 115.002                | 1 per share for year ending 28.2.07  | 6 1/2   | \$15                   |
| Hongkong Electric Company, Limited  | 60,000            | \$10     | \$10     | \$600,000                   | \$2.953                | Interim of \$4 for 1 year ending June 30th 07  | 8 1/2   | \$24                   |
| Hongkong Ice Company, Limited   | 5,000             | \$25     | \$25     | \$125,000                   | \$4.361                | Interim of 80 cents per share for a/c 1907   | 8 1/2   | \$25                   |
| Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Ltd.                                     | 50,000            | \$10     | \$10     | \$500,000                   | \$4.312                | Final of Tls. 7 1/2 and bonus of Tls. 2 1/2 making in all Tls. 10 for 1907           | 8 1/2   | Tls. 410 buyers        |
| Maatschappij tot Mijl- en Bosch- en Landbouw- exploitatie in Langkat, Limited | 25,000            | Gls. 100 | Gls. 100 | Tls. 2,500,000              | Tls. 10.374            | \$1 per share for year ending 30th Oct. 1907   | 8 1/2   | \$2                    |
| Peak Tramways Company, Limited  | 25,000            | \$10     | \$10     | \$250,000                   | \$2.555                | None   |   | 16 buyers              |
| Peak Tramways Company (new)   | 50,000            | \$10     | \$10     | \$500,000                   |                        | Interim of Tls. 3 1/2 for account 1907   | 7 1/2   | Tls. 113 sellers       |
| Philippine Company, Limited   | 97,500            | \$10     | \$10     | \$975,000                   | Dr. P. 34.324          | Tls. 4 for 1905  |   | Tls. 45 sellers        |
| Shanghai Gas Company, Limited   | 24,000            | Tls. 50  | Tls. 50  | Tls. 1,200,000              | Tls. 9.751             | Final of Tls. 5 and Tls. 10 for 1906   |   | Tls. 65 sellers        |
| Shanghai Horse Bazaar Co., Ltd.   | 5,400             | Tls. 50  | Tls. 50  | Tls. 270,000                | Tls. 7.843             | Interim of Tls. 5 for a/c 1907   | 8 1/2   | Tls. 124 sales         |
| Shanghai Pulp and Paper Company, Limited                                      | 4,500             | Tls. 100 | Tls. 100 | Tls. 450,000                | Tls. 85.592            | Interim of 15/- for account 1907 (old)   |   | Tls. 360 buyers        |
| Shanghai-Sumatra Tobacco Company, Limited                                     | 30,000            | Tls. 20  | Tls. 20  | Tls. 600,000                | Dr. 841.934            | Interim of 15/- for account 1907 (new)   |   | 120                    |
| Shanghai Waterworks Company, Limited  | 16,350            | £20      | £20      | £327,000                    | 8478                   | 40 cents for year ending 31.5.07   | 6 1/2   | \$6 sellers            |
| South China Morning Post, Limited   | 6,000             | \$5      | \$5      | \$30,000                    | Tls. 201               | Tls. 6 1/2 for year ending 30.6.07   |   | Tls. 97                |
| Steam Laundry Company, Limited  | 20,000            | \$5      | \$5      | \$100,000                   | \$349                  | First year   |   | \$1                    |
| Tientsin Waterworks Company, Limited  | 2,000             | Tls. 100 | Tls. 100 | Tls. 200,000                | \$1.360                | 80 cents on 9,000 ord. shares and 1/8 on 100 Founders shares for year ending 31.5.07 | 8 1/2   | \$10                   |
| Union Waterboat Company, Limited  | 50,000            | \$10     | \$10     | \$500,000                   | \$5.482                | Interim of 30 cents for account 1907   | 6 1/2   | \$14                   |
| United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited                                      | 10,000            | \$10     | \$10     | \$100,000                   | 541                    | Final of 30 cts. making 80 cts. for the year ended 30th June, 1907                   |   | \$5 1/2 buyers         |
| Watson, (A. S.) & Co., Limited  | 90,000            | \$10     | \$10     | \$900,000                   |                        |  |   |                        |
| William Powell, Limited   | 15,000            | \$10     | \$10     | \$150,000                   |                        |  |   |                        |

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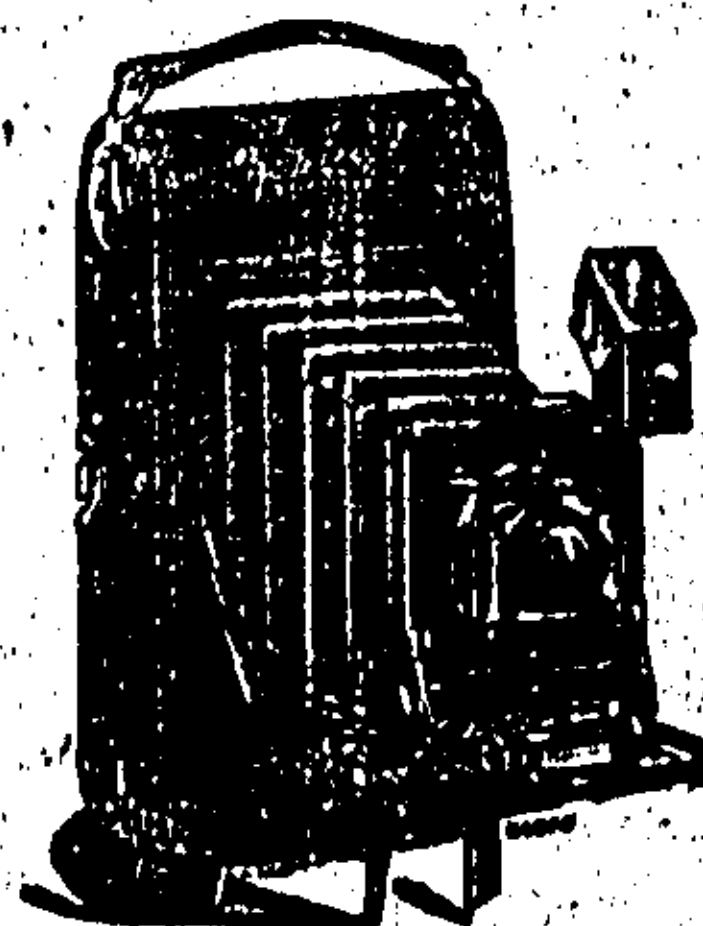
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